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In re Application of :
Lapcevic :
Application No. 09/598,506 : ON PETITION
Filed: June 21, 2000 :
Atty. Dkt. No. 02-640-US :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 13, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned October 23, 2000 for failure to timely file a proper response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application ("Notice") mailed August 22, 2000. The Notice set a two (2) month shortened statutory period of time for reply. No extensions of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Notice of Abandonment was mailed May 20, 2002.

The power of attorney and change of correspondence address submitted herewith have been entered into the record.

This application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0310.

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